Mayors Office Philadelphia
February 19th 1850

To Moses Kempton Esqr
Warden Christ Church &c

Sir

His Honor the Mayor requests that you will cause the Bells of Christ Church to be rung on the approaching Anniversary of Washingtons Birth Day. (22nd inst) according to the usual Custom &c

By order

With much respect
Your obt Servt

Henry Pawling
One of Police

February 19th 1850

Request of the Mayor

for

The Bells to be rung on

22 Feb — Washington's

Birth day

June 28. 1850

P. M^c Cau Esq^r

Wm. Cadwalader Esq^r
on his retiring board
Confirmed this Commu=
Moses Kempton Esquire,
Master —

dear Sir,

In the absence of my friend John Cadwalader Esquire, I have to request a permit to deposit the body of young Mr Cockein in his Vault. This unfortunate young gentleman whose untimely death by drowning you must have heard was a student of law with Mr Cadwalader. It is highly probable that his remains will be removed to Halifax, N. Scotia. But in the mean time I am quite sure that Mr Cadwalader would desire to have the body in his own vault; I know that it is the wish of members of his family.

I am
my respectfully yrs
P McCall

June 23d 1830.

Moses Kempton Esq.
Warden, Christ Church

Mayors Office Philadelphia
July 1st 1850

To the
Rector or Wardens of
Christ Church

Sir

Agreeably to a Resolution of Select and Common Councils passed July 11th 1847 "Authorising the Mayor to take the necessary measures for having the Bells of Christ Church Ring on the Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence" &c.

I beg leave with much respect to ask that You will please cause the Bells of Christ Church to be rung on the 4th inst according to the usual Custom

Very Respectfully
Your Ob. Sr

Jas. Jones
Mayor

To the Worshipful
Mayor

July 1 — 1850

The Mayor &
the City
requesting the Bill
of Ch Ash to be
sent 4 July
annual

July 11. 1850

Request of the Mayor
to [illegible] the Ball given
on Saturday 13 th
from 12 th to 3 o'clock
on account of the
funeral of Z. Taylor
President of the U S

Rec on Th. day morng 12 July
& give order to the
Rangers

Dear Sir

The Committee of Councils appointed to make arrangements for doing public honors to the memory of President Taylor, have authorized the ringing of the bells of the Presbyterian Churches, on Tuesday next, from 12 noon till 3 P.M.—May I request the favor of you to give the necessary directions, with regard to the bells of Christ Church, since in present this bill to the Committee through

Yr. Ob. Sert.

Isaac Elliott

Tuesday Evening
11 July 1850

M. Hampton Esq.

Please have the bells rung appreciably to the above
July 12th 1850 Joel Jones

To Messrs Moses Kempton
and Wm. C. Kent.
Wardens of Christ Church,

Gent

The joint committee
of the Select and Common Council
have directed us, to make application
to you for the use of Christ Church,
on Tuesday the 30 inst

Very Respectfully
Yours &

Thomas Snowden

Philada July 19/50

A. G. Waterman

"Resolved that Messrs Snowden and Waterman be a Committee to wait on the Wardens of Christ Church and request the use of said Church for the Solemnities in honor of Genl Zachary Taylor late President of the United States"

Extract from the Minutes
July 18. 1850
Edmund Nelson
Secy to the Com. of arrangements

Detroit July 29. 1830

Gen.

Dear Sir

Be so good as to have the Bell of Christ Church tolled from 9 oClock to 3 P.M. to morrow.

The Mayor will give to the Order, which shall be placed in your Hands.

Your very respectfully
Edmund Abbot
Sec'ry Com. Arrangements

P.S. The Mayor is too busy at this moment.

To
Moses Kempton Esq.

Request — for the
Bust to be Done on
the Occasion of the Funeral
Obsequies of Genl Taylor
late President of the U.S.
30 July 1850

Philadelphia July 22th 1850

Gentlemen

Your Communication of the 19th Inst was laid before a Meeting of the Vestry of Christ Church at a Meeting held this afternoon, & prepared to the contents of the Resolutions you will see the Church is placed under the Charge of a Committee to carry out your request & with the understanding the Liturgy Service will be under the direction of the Rev. Dr. Stevens Rector of St. Andrews Church (in the absence of the Bishop) as same also the Liturgy of the Episcopal Church —

The undersigned will be glad to meet you at any time to carry out the Object contemplated

Yours &c

Messrs. Mann Kempton } Wardens
M. C. Kent } Christ Chapel

To W. Snowden } Esqrs
A. G. Waterman }

Comm. of Com.

Correspondence

Relative to the use

of Christ Church for

the Funeral Services

of the late President of

the United States

Zachary Taylor

on the 30 July 1850

Mayors Office Philadelphia
July 29th 1850

To the
Vestry of Christ Church
Philadelphia

Gentn.

By virtue of a resolution of the Committee of Arrangement of Councils for the funeral obsequies &c on to morrow the 30th inst. I am authorized to ask that you will please cause the Bells of Christ Church to be tolled from Nine until three o'clock (or thereabouts) on that day

With much respect
Your obt Servant

Joel Jones
Mayor

20th Oct 1850

My dear Sir

As the Rector of Christ Church, ex-
-pressed the hope that the collection made
to day may be enough not only for the
Schools of Christ Church, but also some
to help the schools of poor parishes, - this
is to ask that if such abundance be
at your disposal, you may be graciously
disposed to consider Calvary among the
objects of your bounty.

Our School is indeed
very needy - our Library is very meagre -
some of our books were destroyed by the
recent fire - and that Calamity, by
involving the parish in some expense,
seriously affects our funds at all times
scanty, and prevents that replenishing
of our School library which is very
desirable.

Hoping therefore that if there be
any distribution of money among poor Schools
you will generously remember Calvary Ch

I am very truly yrs
Jas. H. Smith

Rev Moses Kempton
R/C Woodbury Christ Ch. Alameda

October 20. 1850

Rev Joseph Smith

asking

an appropriation for

Calvary Sun School

Oct 28 1850

A Stoultzy Jun
respecting Samples for
Dr Franklin Bache'

1 fa 28 Oct 1850

Moses Kempton Esq
Frankford below Arch

Wm. Mr. Kempton please grant a permit for erecting in Christ Church Burial Ground a Tomb 6 ft by 4 ft (24 feet) over the remains of Dr. Franklin Bache's family - and oblige

L. Stuthers Son

Oct 25/50

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$120